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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
BEKANNTMACHUNG.

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Die BEKANNTMACHUNGEN aus dem Gesellschaften Handelsgesellschaften, welche in der Zeitungs-Veröffentlichung, werden im Jahre 1897 durch den "OSTASIATISCHEN LLOYD" und die "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" erfolgen.
Erstmalig am 15. December 1896.
Der KASSIERER DEUTSCHE VICE-KONSUL STREICH.

NEW YEAR HOLIDAY.
IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875 the Unintentional HOLIDAY will be CLOSED for the Transference of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 1st January, 1897. —
For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, —
T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.
For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, —
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Limited, Hongkong.
For the NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED, —
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager, Hongkong.
For the MERCHANTS BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED, —
J. W. R. TAYLOR, Chief Manager, Hongkong.
For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, —
M. LAZAR, Acting Manager, Hongkong.
For the BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED, —
CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager, Limited, Hongkong.
For the YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED, —
NAO. NABEKURA, Agent, Hongkong, 28th December, 1896. [2963]

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received Instructions TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), the 29th DECEMBER, 1896, at 10 a.m., to sell by Public Auction, at his Sales Room, Queen's Road, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. (for Sundry Accounts).
Comprising: —
BLUE PLUSH COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE.
BLACKWOOD CABINET CURIO-STAND, STANDS AND STOOLS.
MARBLE TOP CENTRE AND SIDE TABLES.
BEVELLED GLASS OVERMANTLES, PICTURES, AND ORNAMENTS; CARPETS and RUGS.
EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with Bevelled Glass, DINNER WAGGONS, CHEFFONIER, GLASS BOOK CASE and WRITING DESKS.
CROCKERY, GLASS, and PLATED WARE.
DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED-STEADS.
DOUBLED and SINGLE WARDROBES, WARDROBES with Bevelled Glass Doors, CAMPHORWOOD CHEST OF DRAWERS, DRESSING TABLE, and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND.
One TYPE WRITER.
SUNDREY EFFECTS belonging to the Estate of the late Captain Wm. G. FEARNE, (deceased), namely sundry articles of 50,000, both inclusive, on which \$100 only has been paid up, and such call is payable to the GENERAL MANAGERS on the 18th day of FEBRUARY next, at the Office of the Company, Nos. 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.
Dated Hongkong, 27th December, 1896. [2962]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND POOCHOW.
THE Company's Steamship "NAMO" will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 29th instant, at 10 a.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFFRAK & CO., General Managers, Hongkong, 27th December, 1896. [2961]

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Company's Steamship "WUHI" will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 29th inst., at 2 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, 28th December, 1896. [2960]

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX. O. S. S. S. "MYRTLE".
FROM LIVERPOOL.
SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 29th inst. for shipment per steamer "PROTEUS".
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 28th December, 1896. [2924]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM-NAVIGATION CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND SINGAPORE.
THE Company's Steamship "CHINGWONG" having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent to the office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 31st instant, or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 31st instant, at 5 p.m.
No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 31st instant, will be subject to risk.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO., Agents, Hongkong, 26th December, 1896. [2959]

ASSISTANT WANTED BY W. ROBINSON & CO., for their SINGAPORE House. One Understanding Music and able to Play.
Hongkong, 22nd December, 1896. [2933]

INTIMATIONS.

GEORGE PENWICK & COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), the 29th day of December, 1896, at 11.30 a.m., when Special Resolutions will be proposed to alter and amend the Articles of Association. A copy of proposed alterations has been posted to the registered address of each Shareholder and any Shareholder who fails to receive a copy can have one by applying to the General Manager.
By Order, W. G. WINTERBURN, General Manager, Hongkong, 21st December, 1896. [2921]

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the TWELFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), the 29th day of December, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th November, 1896.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to 31st inst., both days inclusive.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers, Hongkong, 18th December, 1896. [2892]

THE PUNJON MINING CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 9, PRINCE STREET, on THURSDAY, the 31st day of December, 1896, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th November, 1896, and for the Election of Directors and Auditors.
The REGISTERED SHARES will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 21st inst., both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Board of Directors, JAMES B. DUNCAN, Secretary, Hongkong, 15th December, 1896. [2872]

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL on MONDAY, the 11th day of January, 1897, where the Resolutions of the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 17th day of December, 1896, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.
That Mr. F. MATTIANG be appointed Liquidator with a fee of \$500 for his services.
Also passed the above-mentioned Extraordinary General Meeting, will also be submitted for confirmation.
By Order of the Board of Directors, Wm. H. HAY, Manager, Hongkong, 28th December, 1896. [2943]

OLIVERS FRESHOLD MINES, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of \$1.50 per share has been made in respect of the "B" shares issued on 25.00 to 50.00, both inclusive, on which \$1.00 only has been paid up, and such call is payable to the GENERAL MANAGERS on the 18th day of FEBRUARY next, at the Office of the Company, Nos. 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.
Dated Hongkong, 15th December, 1896. [2881]

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.
VICTOR H. DEACON, Notary Public, hereby certifies that on the 27th day of December, 1896, the Debentures bearing the Numbers set out below were duly Drawn for Redemption by me at the Registered Office of the Company, in Hongkong.
NOS. OF DEBENTURES:
6, 12, 21, 31, 35, 44, 47, 63, 82, 83, 108, 114, 135, 139, 213, 223, 227, 247, 251, 283, 301, 303, 304, 307, 312, 327, 351, 357, 359, 360, 363, 365, 370, 373, 391, 405, 408, 415, 417, 421, 422, 423, 424, 436, 445, 447, 450, 470, 473, 485, 493.
Dated this 7th December, 1896. [2789]

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
IN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the GENERAL AGENTS, with approval of the CONSULTING COMMITTEE, will on the 2nd JANUARY, 1897, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the same being at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the unpaid Capital of the Office for the year 1896.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st inst., both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited, Hongkong, 16th December, 1896. [2877]

BEKANNTMACHUNG.
Die EINTRAGUNGEN in das Handelsregister sowie anderweitige Bekanntmachungen des Kaiserlichen Konsulates werden im Jahre 1897 durch die Zeitungen "Der OSTERASIATISCHE LLOYD" in Shanghai und "Die HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" in Hongkong veröffentlicht werden.
Canton den 23. December 1896.
Der KASSIERER DEUTSCHE KONSUL, Dr. W. KNAPPE, [2958]

BOTHEN MARK LODGE No. 34.
A REGULAR MEETING of the ROYAL MARK LODGE will be held at the WESTERN HALL, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst., at 5.00 for 5.20 p.m. previously. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.
Hongkong, 24th December, 1896. [2947]

NAPIER JOHNSTON'S
SQUARE BOTTLE WHISKY.
The sale of this good Scotch increases month by month; it is of Superb Quality and of CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'S Selection.
Sole Agents for Hongkong, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., [32]

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DRY IMPERIAL, 1889.
There being very little 1889 Vintage left, connoisseurs would do well to lay down a stock of this magnificent Wine.
Per Case, Quarts \$41.00; Pints \$48.00
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A Small but Select Assortment of SILK and LACE LAMP SHADES
TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS, in Great Variety
CHILDREN'S TRIANGLES
MECHANICAL TOYS (all Prices)
FANCY MIRRORS, &c., &c.
XMAS & NEW YEAR PRESENTS.
Hongkong, 17th December, 1896. [2925]

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First introduced into Hongkong by FLETCHER & CO.
Have just opened a new Consignment of this famous Heideche Cure.
Also an assortment of SPRAY PRODUCE, CACAOES, BAKERY SUGAR, LIME FRUIT TABLETS, CHOCOLATE CREAMS
Sole Agent for the popular TANSAN MINERAL WATER.
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"A PERFECT TABLE WATER."
Allowance for the Empties when returned to our Godowns.
Per 1 dozen Quarts... \$1.75
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There is no teaching in all the world of hygiene so valuable as the inculcation of the idea that typhoid fever is a water-borne disease. Excluding a not common liability to the air-diffusion of the germs, we acquire this ailment undoubtedly from water directly, or from milk which has been fouled by polluted water. Pure water means practically the abolition of both typhoid fever and cholera. Our safety abroad is to drink a pure Mineral Water only.
(Dr. ANDREW WILSON in the Illustrated London News.)
CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO., General Managers. [2871]

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IF YOU COUGH
TAKE
WATKINS' BALSAMIC LINCTUS
Which acts, by Inhalation and Absorption, directly upon the Respiratory Organs, the Larynx, Bronchia, Lungs, &c.
Invaluable as a Remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Laryngitis, Hoarseness, Catarrh, Asthma, &c.
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THE EFFECT IN INSTANTANEOUS.
CARMICHAEL & CO., LIMITED
Ex S.S. "MOYUNE"
REAL LOCKHORN SALT HERRINGS.
In Cases, Price per Keg, \$5.00.
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Have been Shippers to CHINA for nearly 75 years. Their Brands are favorably known all over the World.
INVALIDS' PORT.
This Wine is old, soft, and delicate. We strongly recommend it. Analyzed and Certified by Professor CASALI. Price \$14.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
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This is a fine quality Wine of exceptionally pure and delicate flavor. Price \$12.00 per 1 dozen bottles.
SERRIES, AMOROSO.
The Best Malt's shipping. Price \$15.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
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Price \$14.00 per 1 dozen bottles. Pure and natural. Fine; a tonic. WHITE SEAL SERRIES—Popular at the Club.
Dry, delicate, and of fine flavor. Price \$17.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
CLARETS
In Quarts and Pints. CHATEAU MOUTON. For a good dinner Wine we recommend this. Price \$29.75 per 1 dozen bottles. LAROSE.
This is a very attractive Claret, of good bouquet. Price \$15.75 per 1 dozen bottles. MARGAUX-MEDOC.
A breakfast Claret. Price \$8.75 per 1 dozen bottles.
LIQUEUR.
BENEDICTINE, DOM. Price \$33.50 per 1 dozen bottles.
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DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LIMITED.
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HIGH CLASS ENGLISH CONFECTIONERY.
A CHOICE ASSORTMENT.
Ex S.S. "GLENGLARY."
LOOSE and in ARTISTIC BOXES and BAGS SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.
Also a Fresh Consignment of GOSNELL'S PERFUMES. [2153]

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Pioneers of the Asbestos Trade.
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The "VICTOR" METALLIC JOINTING MATERIALS for Steam and Hydraulic Joints, Glands and Machine Doors, &c., are also used on every Battleship, Cruiser, Gunboat, Torpedo-boat and Transport in H.M. Service.
"SALAMANDER" Non-conducting Composition for Boilers, Hot-water Tanks, Pipes, &c. IN TWO QUALITIES.
SPECIAL QUOTATIONS FOR QUANTITIES.
Superintendents: DODWELL, CARILL & CO., General Agents. [21483]

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WATCHES and CLOCKS of every description, the largest and finest STOCK in the East.
SILVERWARE, MARBLE and OPERA GLASSES, TELESCOPES, MUSICAL BOXES with and without Flute and Violin.
MIRRORS for Wall and Toilet Table, a rare choice.
ALBUMS; LEATHER CIGAR, CIGARETTE, and CARD CASES.
MORSCHEM PIPES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS.
PINAUD'S PERFUMES and FANCY GOODS in great variety.
ALSO
TOYS, TOYS, TOYS.
A Unique Selection well worth an Inspection.
COME and SEE BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE.
J. ULLMANN & CO., 14, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG, 14th December, 1896. [2843]

NEW YEAR PRESENTS.
JUST ARRIVED.
AN IMMENSE ASSORTMENT of the best ENGLISH and FRENCH General JEWELLERY.
WATCHES, FANCY GOODS.
PRICES MODERATE
LEVY HERMANOS, Opposite TELEGRAPH OFFICE, Hongkong, 12th December, 1896. [2832]

JAPAN FINE ART CURIOS
KUHN & KOMOR, HONGKONG; YOKOHAMA; KOBE. [2862]
CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.
No. 72.
NOTICE is hereby given that FRIDAY the 1st January, 1897, will be observed as HOLIDAY at the Kowloon Customs Office.
Work at the Opium Examination Office and Customs Stations will proceed as usual.
H. M. HILLIER, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.
Custom House, Kowloon, 22nd December, 1896. [2928]

AN EFFECTUAL STOP
IS PUT TO ALL ANXIETY BY
THE NEW GUARANTEED CASH VALUE POLICY OF THE
"EQUITABLE"
This Policy provides three things: (1) Protection for the family; (2) Provision for the assured's later years; (3) A valuable investment.
When three annual premiums have been paid the policy entitles yearly thereafter three distinct GUARANTEED values in full paid-up assurance: (1) Cash; (2) Loan at 5 per cent.
This policy is pronounced by experienced men of business to be the best and most liberal contract of life assurance ever issued; and it is offered by an office having the splendid SURPLUS of 25,500,000 illustrations to support its GUARANTEES.
Full Particulars and Illustrations from the GENERAL AGENTS,
SHEWAN TOMES & CO., or J. T. HAMILTON, Manager for the East.
Hongkong, 28th October, 1896. [2880]

DAILY GOODNESS wanted to teach one or two Children, from 10 to 1 o'clock.
Apply "O. E. M."
Care of Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, 21st December, 1896. [2920]

NOTICE OF FIRMS
THE BUSINESS hitherto carried on under the name of HARRY WICKING will in future be conducted under the style of HARRY WICKING & CO.
Mr. GEORGE HARRY DANN is authorized to sign the firm from this date.
HARRY WICKING, Hongkong, 28th November, 1896. [2711]

NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing and entered into on the 30th October 1896, between the undersigned LI PO and LI YING under the style of LEE YEE WO at 22 New West Street, Victoria, to construct a cableway to the west of Tai Tam Reservoir for the Government of Hongkong has this day been dissolved by mutual consent and that the work will be undertaken and completed by LI YING alone to whom all communications must be addressed and by whom all debts of the Partnership will be paid.
Notice is further given that the said LI YING will not be responsible for any personal debts contracted by LI PO.
Dated 12th December, 1896.
Notified by LI PO 李保 and LI YING 李英 of the LEE YEE WO SHOP 李義和號 全啓 [2944]

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
Dec. 24, RADNORSHIRE, British steamer, 2,700, from Davao, H.M.R. Shanghai and Amoy 23rd December, General—DODWELL, CARILL & Co.
Dec. 24, CHINGWONG, British str., 2,570, Harris Singapore 23rd December, General—HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Dec. 25, CHITRUS, Chinese str., 1,211, C. R. Nul, Shanghai 22nd December, General—C. M. S. Co.
Dec. 25, HAITONG, British str., 764, W. Davis, Tamsui and Coast Ports 24th Dec., General—DOUGLAS LAFFRAK & Co.
Dec. 25, LOOKOON, British str., 1,020, J. B. Tolson, Bangkok and Hong Kong 15th Dec., General—YUEN PAI HONG.
Dec. 25, LYKHOON, German steamer, 1,283, G. Heilmann, Shanghai 22nd Dec., General—SIEMSEN & Co.
Dec. 25, PALAWAN, British str., 2,995, Baker, Yokohama 18th Dec., General—P. & O. S. N. Co.
Dec. 25, FAIRCHILD, British str., 979, Warren, Canton 25th December, General—C. M. S. Co.
Dec. 25, PROHILL, British str., 881, Bradley, Canton 25th Dec., General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Dec. 25, PROGRESS, German str., 687, Brandt, Haiphong 23rd December, Rice—A. R. MARRER.
Dec. 25, ASK, Danish str., 654, H. Hygon, Haiphong 23rd and Hallow 24th Dec., General—A. R. MARRER.
Dec. 25, NANYONG, British steamer, 84, Nicol, Singapore 24th Dec., and Hallow—24th, General—CHINESE.
Dec. 25, CHONGYANG, British str., 1,194, G. J. Bowker, Shanghai and Swatow 22nd Dec., General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Dec. 27, AUSTRALIAN, British str., 3,888, Holms, Australia 22nd Dec., via Port Darwin 16th, General—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Dec. 27, GROMART, British str., 1,965, Dunsen, Moji 12th Dec., Coals—DODWELL, CARILL & Co.
Dec. 27, LORANG, British str., 978, Leand, Canton 25th Dec., General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Dec. 27, NAMOA, British steamer, 882, T. Hall, Foochow, Amoy, and Swatow 26th Dec., General—YUEN PAI HONG.
Dec. 27, OCEANA, German steamer, 1,000, H. Formes, Kobe 22nd Dec., General—SIEMSEN & Co.
Dec. 27, SWAROW, German str., 631, P. Persson, Moji 20th Dec., Coal—SIEMSEN & Co.
Dec. 27, SUMBAWA, British bark, 1,088, C. Heilmann, Yokohama 15th Dec., Ballast—SHEWAN TOMES & CO., Ltd., Agents.
Dec. 27, THAMES, British str., 820, Milroy, Taiwanfoos 24th Dec., and Amoy 26th, General—DOUGLAS LAFFRAK & Co.
Dec. 27, SHANGHAI, British str., 1,488, T. C. Macdonald, Canton 27th Dec., Ballast—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Dec. 27, YUNNANG, British str., 1,106, W. Wellhouse, Bangkok 24th Dec., General—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Dec. 27, STYRIA, German bark, for Taiwanfoos.

DEPARTURES.
Dec. 25, HAITAN, British str., for Swatow.
Dec. 25, INGBANG, German str., for Tamsui.
Dec. 25, CHANG HOOK KIAN, British str., for Amoy.
Dec. 25, GUTHRIE, British str., for Australia.
Dec. 25, DORONGNE, French str., for Saigon.
Dec. 25, INDEPENDENT, German str., for Kobe.
Dec. 26, EMBASSY, British str., for Canton.
Dec. 26, LYKHOON, German str., for Canton.
Dec. 27, CHINA, German str., for Saigon.
Dec. 27, CHINGWONG, British str., for Shanghai.
Dec. 27, CHITRUS, Chinese str., for Canton.
Dec. 27, ZARAGOZA, Mexican str., for Singapore.
Dec. 27, CHONGYANG, British str., for Swatow.
Dec. 27, HALLONG, British str., for Swatow.
Dec. 27, SHANGHAI, British str., for Singapore.
Dec. 27, RADNORSHIRE, British str., for N. York.
Dec. 27, WOSANG, British str., for Swatow.
Dec. 27, STYRIA, German bark, for Taiwanfoos.

TASSENGERS.
ARRIVED.
For Hualong, str. from Tamsui, &c.—Mr. Yang.
For Yuenlong, str. from Shanghai—Messrs. Redwood, G. Osmundson, Karroonah, G. Khamah, and 101 Chinese.
For Palawan, str. from Yokohama for Hongkong—Mr. and Mrs. Arncliffe, and Mr. Horns.
For Singapore—Mr. Craig and Mr. Sallon.
For Colombo—Mr. and Mrs. Jodrell, Misses Jodrell, (2) and maid.
For London—Mr. Brown and Mr. Hunt.
For Chongang, str. from Shanghai—General W. D. Whipple and Mr. C. W. O. Deering.
For Yuenlong, str. from Manila—Messrs. J. M. Locelle and G. Chitt.
For Namoa, str. from Coast Ports—Messrs. Pigot and Bala, Mrs. Major.
For Australian, str. from Sydney—Miss Helen, Mrs. Edgar, Mrs. Schindler, Mrs. Molloy, Miss Seale, Messrs. Lafone and Mortimer.
From Port Darwin—Messrs. Leggett and Crawford.
From Taiwanfoos—Messrs. Beale, Macintosh, and Basto, Mr. and Mrs. Santos, Misses Santos (5), Dr. Magallanes, Dr. Almeida, Capt. and Mrs. Silva, Mrs. Flores, Mrs. Moties, Major Fernando Antonio, Messrs. Moran, Burgess, Le Clerc, and Ozeiro.

VISITORS AT HOTELS.
HONGKONG HOTEL.
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Capt. Goldard.
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Major & Mrs. F. B. Hamman.
Mr. C. Harris.
Mr. & Mrs. D. Haskell.
Mr. Ernest Haskell.
Mr. H. D. Harvey.
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Mr. A. Imbell.
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MEALS A LA CARTE.
CHOPS, STEAKS, &c., &c., at any time between 7.30 a.m. and 11.15 p.m.
MONTHLY BOARDERS at MODERATE RATES.
MADAR & FARMER, Proprietors.
Hongkong, 4th September, 1896. [2935]

OSAKA HOTEL.
BEST appointed HOTEL in JAPAN is the above and for which no Passport is required to travel from KOBE. [298]
HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.
TIME TABLE.
WEEK DATA.
7.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Every half hour.
12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
4.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. Every half hour.
6.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. Every half hour.
Extra Night cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m. SUNDAYS.
8.45 a.m. to 10.45 a.m. Every half hour.
10.30 a.m. and 10.40 a.m.
Noon to 2 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
2 p.m. to 8 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. from 8.45 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. every half hour.
SUNDAYS.
8.45 a.m. to 10.45 a.m. Every half hour.
10.30 a.m. and 10.40 a.m.
Noon to 2 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
2 p.m. to 8 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. from 8.45 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. every half hour.
SPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, 38 & 40, Queen's Road Central.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.
Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [2250]

THE BROKER MAIL.
The P. & O. steamer *Jessie*, with mails, leaves mail on the 27th ultimo, left Singapore on Monday, the 21st instant, at 1 p.m. and may be expected here to-day. This Packet brings passengers to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 20th October.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The P. M. steamer City of Pekin, with the American mail on board, will leave Hongkong on the 28th instant, as about Thursday, and may be expected here on about Thursday, the 8th instant.

The U. & O. steamer *Forte*, with mails, sails on the 29th instant for the port of Honolulu, Kure Atoll, Indian Is., Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai on the 10th instant.

The P. M. steamer *Cheong*, with mails, leaves Hongkong on the 30th instant, for the port of Honolulu, San Francisco for which she ports via Honolulu, Kure Atoll, Indian Is., Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai on the 16th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The U. P. steamer *Empress of China* arrived from Hongkong on Friday, the 26th inst., and will start at 1 p.m. the same day for Shanghai and Hongkong.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The U. P. S. S. steamer *Calamba*, from Hongkong, will arrive here on Friday, the 26th inst., for Manila and this place, and may be expected to arrive here on or about Friday, the 1st January.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The steamer *Lightning*, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the 22nd inst.

REMIKATANI STEAMERS.

The P. & O. steamer *Koronya* left Singapore on the 21st inst., and is due here to-day.

The N. G. I. steamer *Ledro* left Singapore on or about the 21st inst., and is due here on or about the 29th inst., and has been ordered to call at *Santa Marta*, from Singapore, left Singapore on the 22nd inst., and may be expected here on or about the 29th inst.

The N. P. steamer *Olympia*, from Tacoma, arrived at Yokohama and left on the 18th

stant for Hongkong for other Japan ports.
The F. & O. steamer *Macaoen* left Singapore
for this port on the 22nd inst., at noon.
The O. S. S. steamer *Prometheus*, from
Singapore, left Singapore on the 24th inst.
and may be expected here on or about the
4th inst.
The F. & O. chartered steamer *Maculif* sails
from Tacoma for Yokohama on the 22nd inst.

PAKED IN CANAL.

OUTWARD.—No. 204.—*Balmora*. 24th Nov.—
—*Coling*, Elizabeth Rickmers. 27th Nov.—
—*Albatross*, J. J. & Co. 28th Nov.—
—*Wigley*, Glasbeil. 8th Dec. —*Guthrie*,
Nakal, Jonney, Bengtse. 11th Dec.—
—*Tantous*, Glasomergrahne. 15th Dec.—
—*Nido*, Baltimore, Shanghai, Ten-
—*Meru*, Bhopa, 22nd Dec.—
—*Prata*, Dimond, Adour. 22nd Dec.—
—*Concord*, Prina Heinrich. Tellus.
—*ONEWAY*. 18th Dec.—*Balmora*, Gar-
—*psdon*. 22nd Dec.—*Tenzer*, *Vidobona*.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

PAK DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 1.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. or in Later Boxes in the morning by 12 and 3.30 o'clock. Drains & Boxes at Pak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The authorized List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected a month later than that given below.

A MAIL, WELL, CLOSE.

For Malacca—Per Lepros, to-day, the 29th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama—Per Formosa, to-day, the 28th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria & Hongkong—Per Victoria, to-morrow the 29th inst., at 11.30 A.M.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta—Per Melphedra, to-morrow, the 29th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Kufat and Sandakan—Per Devonport to-morrow, the 29th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

-morrow, the 25th inst., at 2.30 p.m.
 For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cook-
 town, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Mel-
 bourne, *For Tazara*, on Friday, the 1st Jan., at
 9.00 a.m.
 For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama—*For*
Perona, on Friday, the 1st Jan., at 9.00 a.m.
 For Singapore, Penang and Bombay—*For*
Perona, on Monday, the 4th January, at
 9.30 a.m.
 For Singapore—*For Glengarry*, on Monday
 the 4th Jan., at 3.30 p.m.

SALES BY THE BRITISH PACKET.
 The British Contract Vessel, *King of the Nile*,
 will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 31st
 inst., with Mails for the United Kingdom,
 Europe, all countries beyond, *via* *Druidist*; to
 the Colonies, India, China, Japan, the Aus-
 tralian Settlements, Netherlands Ind., Borneo,
 and the Straits of Malacca, and Gibraltar.
 1.00 a.m.—Posting of Press Currents and Cir-
 culars ceases.
 2.00 a.m.—Posting ceases.
 3.00 a.m.—Receipting of newspapers, books, and
 pictures ceases.

0.00 AM—Mail closes.
 Late Letters may be posted (from 11.00 AM) with 10 cents *late fee* up to 11.30 AM. Letters after this time may be sent on board with this same late fee.
MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.
 The German Contract Packet *Yerra* will be despatched on **TUESDAY**, the 21st. Jany. 1890, for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, *via* Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Buzmah, Saigon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Letters for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, *via* *Norcedis*; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Buzmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, &c., &c. will close at 8.00 AM. Late letters will close at 8.30 AM. Late letters will close at 10 cents extra postage.
MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.
 The French Contract Packet *Yerra* will be despatched on **WEDNESDAY**, the 22nd. Jany. 1890, for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, *via* *Norcedis*; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Buzmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, &c., &c. will close at 8.00 AM. Late letters will close at 8.30 AM. Late letters will close at 10 cents extra postage.

0.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases.
0.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.
0.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and palm-leaf cases.
0.06 A.M.—Mail closes.

GRIMAULTS SYRUP

OF HYPOPHOSPHITE OF LIME
FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST.

The original preparation prescribed by the leading medical authorities FOR CONSUMPTION, BRONCHITIS, BRONCHIAL IRRITATION, AND ASTHMA, FOR THE CURE OF THE LUNGS, AND FOR EXHAUSTIVE COUGHS, for the last 30 years.

GRIGNAULT'S STOUT immediately arrests the
 GRIGNAULT'S, and NINEWEATHERS, and the APPEALING
 increases rapidly—a fact soon demonstrated by
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 GRIGNAULT'S STOUT has a ruse colour, and is
 in flat oval bottles.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.
 GRIGNAULT & CO.—Paris.
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NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEETS.

Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the
 VESSELS will be RESPONSIBLE for any
 DEETING contracted by the Officers or the Crews
 of the following Vessels during their stay in
 HONGKONG. HONGKONG.

GASIUS, Ger. str., Unruh—Lauts, Wegener
 & Co.
 R. THOMAS, Amer. sh., Nichols—Standard
 Oil Co.
 NEW YORK, Brit. bk., Davis—Order.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

STEAMSHIP "SYDNEY."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from Bordeaux or S.S. *André* and *Ville de Paris* are hereby informed that their goods, which are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained immediately on landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 9 a.m. To-day, the 24th inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Wednesday, the 30th inst., at Noon, will be subject to sale and loading at the risk of the Consignees.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Wednesday, the 30th inst., or they will not be recognized.

All damaged Packages will be examined on Wednesday, the 30th inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
General Manager.

Hongkong, 23rd December, 1896. [2]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"CHUNSHANG"

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from the Godowns of the Company on or before Wednesday, the 30th inst., at Noon, and will be subject to sale and loading at the risk of the Consignees.

Cargo remaining unclaimed after Wednesday, the 30th inst., at Noon, will be subject to sale and loading at the risk of the Consignees.

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No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
General Manager.

Hongkong, 24th December, 1896. [2655]

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE S.S. A.L. American Ship

"WILLIAM H. SMITH."

Wilton, Master, will be despatched on the 24th December.

For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO.

HONGKONG, 19th December, 1896. [2911]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.

THE Company's Steamship

"ZAFIRO."

Captain Cobbin, will be despatched for the above port TO-DAY, the 24th inst.

This steamer has superior accommodation for Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHIPWORTH & CO.

General Managers.

HONGKONG, 22nd December, 1896. [2940]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

"ACHILLES."

Captain Harvey, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 24th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 23rd December, 1896. [2547]

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY COMPANIES.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN.

THE attention of passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this line to the Pacific Coast of the UNITED STATES and CANADA and to EUROPE.

HONGKONG TO LONDON \$400.

Excellent accommodation. First class Table, Doctor and Stewardess carried.

HONGKONG TO NEW YORK \$350.

The Railroad travelling is second to none on the American Continent. Magnificent scenery of the Rocky and Cascade Mountains. The Yellowstone National Park route. Passengers to Europe may proceed by one of the first class ATLANTIC MAIL LINE.

HONGKONG TO TACOMA \$225.

Rates of Passage to other Ports on application. Special rates allowed to members of Government Services.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(Subject to Alteration.)

VICTORIA, [3167] Tuesday, [29] Dec. 29.

OCEANIA, [2908] Tuesday, [29] Jan. 19.

BRASMA, [3501] Tuesday, [29] Feb. 9.

TACOMA, [2519] Tuesday, [29] Mar. 2.

THE Steamship

"VICTORIA."

Captain A. Gore, sailing at NOON, TO MORROW, the 26th December, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, Wash., via SHANGHAI, KOBÉ, and YOKOHAMA.

Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Ports, and to Canadian and United States Ports.

Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Ports should be sent to the Company's Office, and one copy sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash.

Passengers must apply to one Office (with address marked in full) by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., General Agents.

HONGKONG, 9th December, 1896. [2910]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship

"OCELYDRA."

Captain R. C. will be despatched as above TO MORROW, the 24th inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 24th December, 1896. [2951]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT.

THE Company's Steamship

"DEUCALION."

Captain B. Branch, will be despatched TO MORROW, the 24th inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 21st December, 1896. [2923]

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE British Bark

"SUMBABA."

Bobbie, Master, will load here for the above port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHAW, WATSON & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 7th December, 1896. [2778]

FOR NEW YORK.

THE S.S. L.L. American Ship

"BENJAMIN SEWELL."

Sewell, Master, shortly expected from Shanghai, will load here and will be despatched by end of February.

For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 19th December, 1896. [2915]

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

GALICIA (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) TUESDAY, Dec. 23, 1896, at Noon.

DORIS (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) SATURDAY, Jan. 16, 1897, at Noon.

BELLINI (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) THURSDAY, Feb. 6, 1897, at Noon.

The Company's Steamship "GALICIA" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, the 29th December, 1896, at Noon.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passenger Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States and Canada. Rates and particulars of the various Routes may be obtained upon application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full, and same will be received at the Company's Office until five p.m. the day previous to sailing.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 7, Praya Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

HONGKONG, 11th December, 1896. [2914]

FOR SINGAPORE, HATTE, AND HAMBURG.

(Calling at Naples for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement offered.)

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN.)

THE Steamship

"OCEANA."

Captain H. Formosa, will be despatched for the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst., at 4 p.m.

This steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 22nd December, 1896. [2938]

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON.

THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR BATAVIA, PERAN, GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AFRICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship

"KAISAR-I-HIND."

Captain C. L. Daniel, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for Bombay, &c., on THURSDAY, the 31st December, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo to the above ports.

Silt and Valuable, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be shipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

HONGKONG, 17th December, 1896. [2911]

FOR NEW YORK.

THE S.S. A.L. American Ship

"SACHEM."

Lancaster, Master, will be despatched on the 31st December.

For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO.

HONGKONG, 19th December, 1896. [2917]

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE German Steamship

"GASSTIS."

Captain Urruh, will load here for the above port and will be despatched towards the end of December.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 11th December, 1896. [2924]

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (GIORGIO E FRATELLI STEAM COMPANIES).

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND BOMBAY.

having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to PENANG, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESINA, NAPLES, LEGHORN, and GENOA, also VENICE and TRIESTE, all MEDITERRANEAN, ADRIATIC, and AEGEAN PORTS, and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

Taking Cargo at through rates to PERIAN, GULF, and BAGDAD, also BARCELONA, VALENZA, ALICANTE, ALBIRIA, and MALAGA.

THE Steamship

"LETIMERO."

Captain Bolis, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 4th Jan., at Noon.

At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Victoria Dock.

For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 22nd December, 1896. [2916]

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

"GLENGLARY."

Captain Ferguson, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 4th January, 1897.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 19th December, 1896. [2917]

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.L. Iron 4-masted British Bark

"MATTHEW HENRI."

Captain J. Williams, will soon be ready to load for the above port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 28th November, 1896. [2712]

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.L. Iron 4-masted British Bark

"MATTHEW HENRI."

Captain J. Williams, will soon be ready to load for the above port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 28th November, 1896. [2712]

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

"POLYTHEMUS."

Captain Goodwin, will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 12th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 21st December, 1896. [2955]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA STRAITS AND USUAL PORTS OF CALL.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW, CONTINENTAL PORTS, RIVER PLATE, &c.)

THE Company's Steamship

"PARKING."

H. L. Allen, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 17th January, 1897.

For Freight, apply to HOLLAND, WISE & CO.

Agents.

HONGKONG, 21st December, 1896. [2926]

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

DESTINATION.	VESSEL'S NAME.	FLAG & REG.	CAPTAIN.	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO.
LONDON, &c.	Kaiser-i-Hind	Brit. str.	Daniel	P. & O. S. N. Co.
LONDON, &c.	Sunda	Brit. str.	Gordon	P. & O. S. N. Co.
LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Glasgow	Brit. str.	Ferguson	Ballinacorney & Co.
LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Yamato	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
LONDON VIA STRAITS, &c.	Fakih	Brit. str.	Allen	Holliday, Wise & Co.
LONDON VIA SINGAPORE, &c.	Kagoshima Maru	Jap. str.	Tremat	Nippon Yusen Kaisha
BREMEN & PORTS OF CALL.	Bayra	Ger. str.	Harvey	Milne & Co.
MARSEILLES VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Empress of China	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
YANAGAWA, YOKOHAMA, &c.	Victoria	Brit. str.	Archibald, R. G.	Cananda & Co.
VICTORIA, B.C., &c., 7 THAMES.	Gaulo	Brit. str.	Gore	Dodds & Co.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA YOKOHAMA.	City of Peking	Amér. str.	Williamson	O. & N. Y. S. S. Co.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI.	Yamato	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI.	Bambawa	Brit. str.	Rohrbeg	Shelva & Co.
NEW YORK	William H. Smith.	Amér. str.	Wilson	Carter & Co.
NEW YORK	Pennsboat	Amér. str.	Manlander	Arnholm & Co.
NEW YORK	Sachsen	Amér. str.	Harvey	Carter & Co.
NEW YORK	Amér. West.	Amér. str.	Sewal	Carter & Co.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Port Adelaide	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Cassius	Ger. str.	Unruh	Sienas & Co.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Polypheusus	Brit. str.	Goodwin	Butcher & Co.
SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c.	Yamato	Brit. str.	Ramsay	Harvey & Co.
BAHIA, RIO DE JANEIRO, &c.	Doucalion	Brit. str.	Branch	Butcher & Co.
STRAITS & CALUTTA.	Cholera	Brit. str.	Cass	Jardine & Co.
STRAITS & BOMBAY.	Leandro	Ita. str.	Boisto	Sienas & Co.
SINGAPORE, HAVRE & HAMBURG.	Oceanic	Ger. str.	Formis	Guinon & Co.
YOKOHAMA, &c.	Yamato	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
YOKOHAMA, &c.	Yerona	Brit. str.	Toque, Z.N.S.	P. & O. S. N. Co.
YOKOHAMA VIA NAAGASAKI & KOBE.	Waka	Brit. str.	Benzon	Butcher & Co.
SHANGHAI	Rosetta	Brit. str.	Tilland	P. & O. S. N. Co.
SHANGHAI	Holland	Brit. str.	Harvey	Harvey & Co.
SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW.	Yokohama	Brit. str.	Gibson	Shelva & Co.